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DATED 21-10-1926

[Despatch Abstract.]

Electricity - Mangalore Electric License , 1926 - Payment of security - time limit - extneded

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Letter

Letter No. 11515 B/26
dated 28/9/26

To

Messrs G. R. Kelkar &
N. S. Pradhan
Co-operative Building
Santa Cruz
Bombay

DESPATCHED
28 SEP 1926

Gentlemen,

I am to refer to the Rangpatra of Amount 1926

I am to enquire whether the Security of Rs. 5000 fixed in clause 4(b) of the Rangpatra has been deposited and, if so, when it was deposited and in what form.

I have etc.

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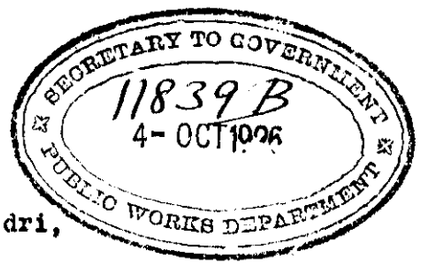
Co-operative Buildings,

Santa-Cruz, B.B. & C.I.Ry

BOMBAY, 30th Septr. 1926.



From,

G. R. Kelkar & N. S. Padbidri,

BOMBAY.

To,

S. H. Slater, Esq. C.M.G., C.I.E., I.C.S.

Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works & Labour Dept.,

Fort St. George, M A D R A S.

S i r,

The Mangalore Electric License 1926.

With reference to your letter dated Fort St. George, the 28th September 1926, we beg to apply for an extension of time up to the 23rd of March 1927, in respect of Clause 4 "Security (b), as the Mangalore Electric Supply Co. Ltd, that was floated for the purpose of taking over and working up the License has not raised the initial Capital required.

We have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servants,

For G.R.Kelkar & N.S.Padbidri.

N S Padbidri

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Mangalore Electric Licenses 1926 - Payment of Security

p/cf Letter to Messrs G. R. Kelkar & N. S. Padhadri No. 11515-13/26 dt 28.9.26

p.2 cf Corr. 11839B. Rem - do - dt 30.9.26

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Please see Section 4(1)(b) & c(11) of the Indian Electricity Act & clause 15 of the Mangalore Electric Licenses, 1926. The failure on the part of the licensees to deposit the security within the period prescribed in clause 4(6) of the licence (ie) by the 22nd September 1926 has rendered it liable to be revoked. The licensees request extension of time for the payment of security upto the 23rd March 1927. (ie) to allow them one years time - on the whole. Attention is in this connection invited to portion marked A on page 3 of the notes with file no. 344 W dt 23.3.1926.

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Please see also the portions scheduled in pencil on pp 2-6 of the GO. If the licensees are unable to pay up even the security amount within the

prescribed date it does not speak much of their financial ability to carry out the scheme. They have not even chosen in time to apply for the extension but have done so only in reply to our reminder in the matter. Apparently they do not seem to be keen about working the scheme. E&O may be consulted (No) as to whether he has any information about the licensees' prospects or whether the extension of time applied for may be granted

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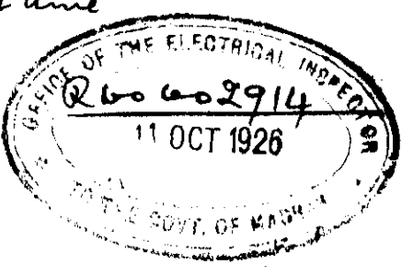

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I have no recent information about licensees' prospects. On 18th May 1926 Mr.Padbidri called; he intimated that he had sold some Rs.60,000 shares to be paid for within one year, and that the raising of capital was very difficult.

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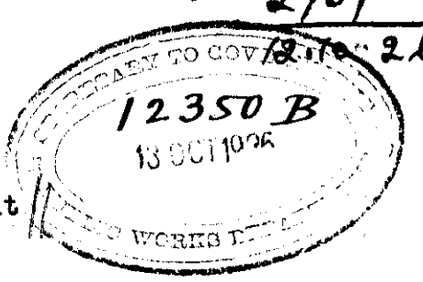

I could make local enquiries on my next visit to Mangalore early in December; but this is two months ahead.

While I am extremely doubtful that this undertaking will be adequately financed I think it is preferable to accept a small (reduced) start and hope for better days than to have no start at all. Hence I suggest that Government without further consideration extend the time for payment of security up to 31-12-26.

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E.J.B.Greenwood.
12.10.26

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Submitted for orders whether the El. Insp. suggestion at the foot of page 2 ante may be accepted

The time for payment may be extended to 31.12.26

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The grant of extension of time for the payment of security is an amendment of clause 4(b) of the existing licence & will have to be sanctioned under section 4(3)(b) of the Indian Electricity Act. Under this section the local authority concerned will have to be consulted; the provisions of rule 22 & rule 13 (2)(3) & (4) of the Electricity Rules will also have to be observed. The extension of time approved to be granted in this case is only upto 31.12.26. and there is no time for going through all the formalities referred to above. It will take about a month to get the Municipal Council's consent. In the circumstances and having regard to the wording of clause 4(b) of the licence, it is for consideration whether an order may not now be issued granting extension of time - a copy of it being communicated to the Municipal Council & being published in the Gazette. If this view is accepted the draft order below is

approval. [Cf in D/ connect. me
mind in the case of the Rajahmundry Electric Licence.
notes [at pp 9+10 of. form no 358 W dy 26.3.26.] (F)
The file may be circulated to C.

18.10.26

19.10.26

I think the case is suitable

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C. Agreed
CAP
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Issue
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Circ 20.10.26
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P W & L. DEPARTMENT.

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Mangalore Electric Licence 1926 - Payment of security - Time limit extended -

READ AGAIN G.O. No. 344 W, dated 23.3.1926

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READ ALSO:-

C. No. 11834 From the Messrs G R Kelkar & N.S. Padbidri, No. nil, dated 30.9.1926.

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ORDER.

No. 1553 W dated 21.10.1926.

This

Messrs G. R. Kelkar and N. S. Padbidri - the licensees under the Mangalore Electric Licence, 1926 - are informed that ~~the Govt are prepared to grant them~~ extension of time for the payment of security will be granted to them only upto the 31st December 1926.

2. The following notification will be published in the first Mangalore Gazette

"The time limit fixed in clause 4 (b) of the Mangalore Electric Licence, 1926, for the payment of security is extended to 31st December 1926."

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To Messrs G. R. Kelkar & N.S. Padbidri
Co-operative Buildings, Santa-cruz, Bombay

The Collector of S. Kanara
Chairman, M.L., Mangalore.
El. Inspector to Govt
Copy to the A.G. Delhi
Accountant Delhi
~~Accountant Bombay~~

Supdt Govt Press for publication in your notification. ~~in place of the order~~ (2 copies for section). To issue immediately

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